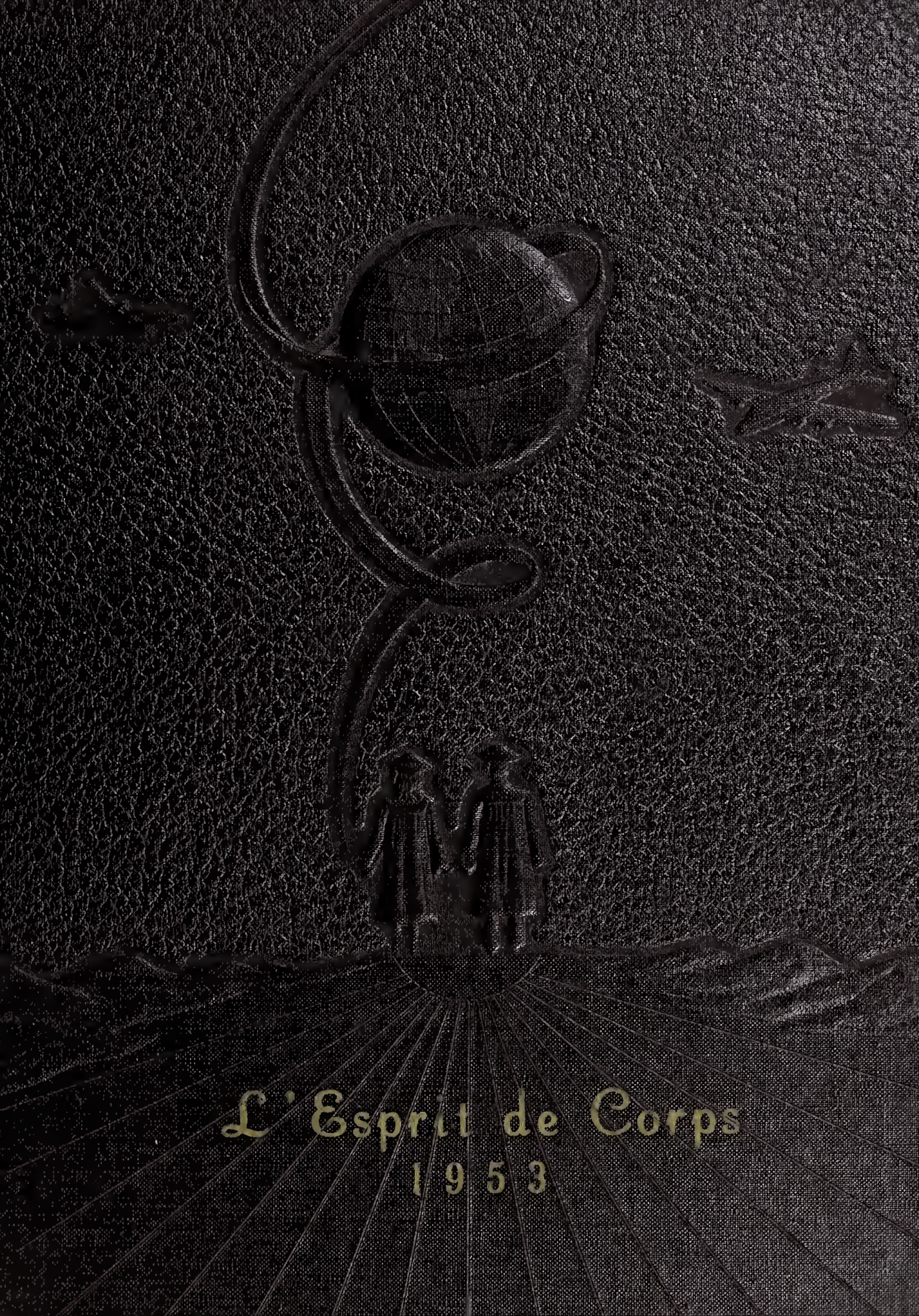
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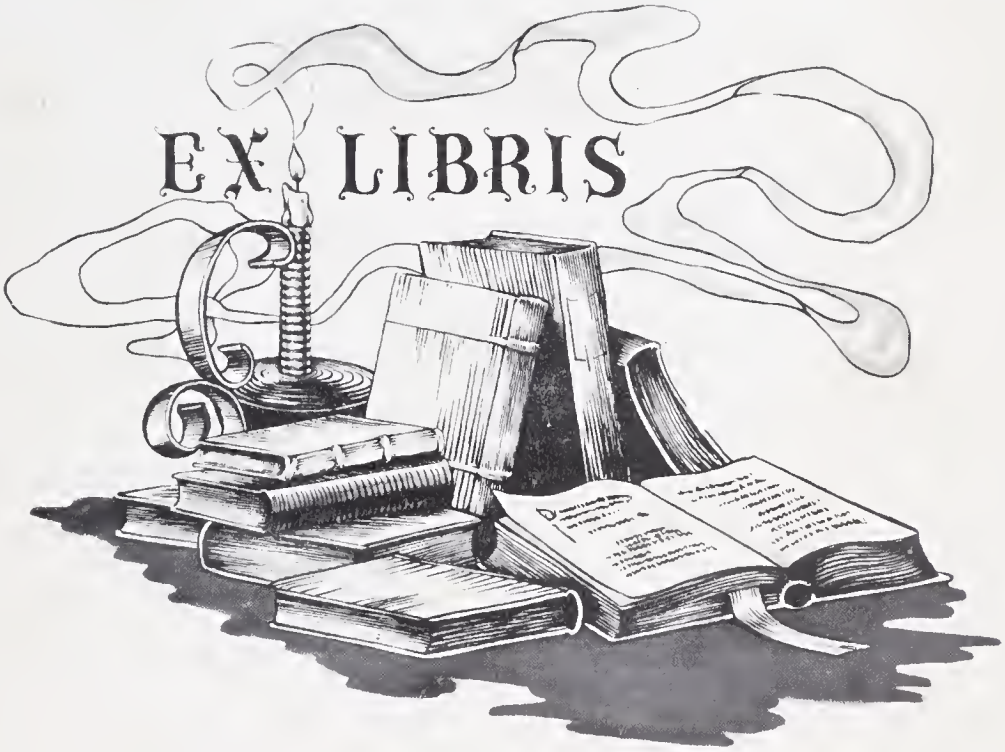
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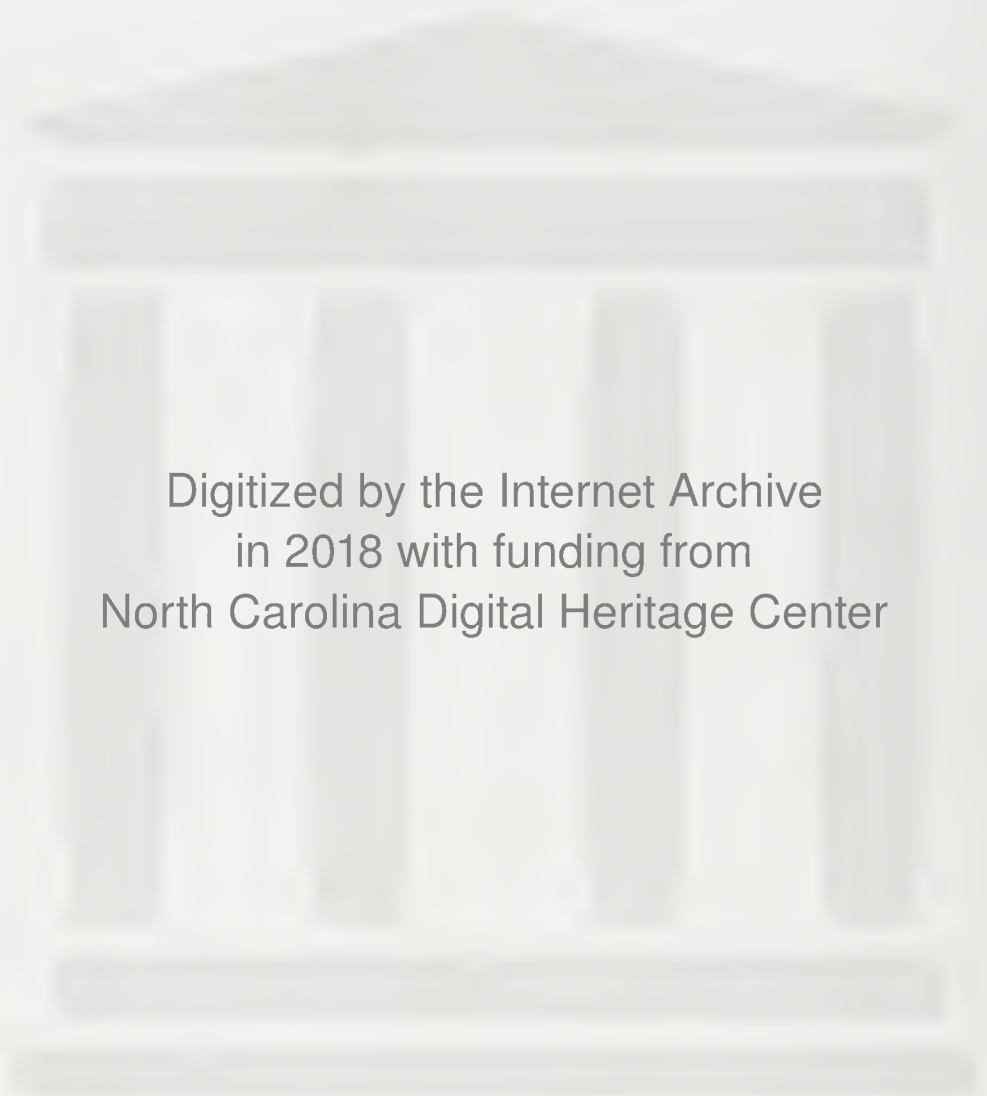
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Foreword

Our Senior Class strives to CONSERVE the ACCOMPLISHMENTS of their school ASSOCIATES as the CHEERFUL DAYS in each season pass SWIFTLY BY. It is not so much what the student does that INSPIRES HIM but what he ASPIRES to do in the MIDST of EVENTS and FACTS. In this sense all INFORMATION and MATERIALS assembled become a REALITY. As a matter of fact,a result pointing to the distant future which possesses envied possibilities for better citizenship. In the event the student becomes greatly perplexed while laboring at any task here-in or in life's toilsome way, he or she should find hope in Abt Volger's Statement: "But here is the FINGER of GOD, a flash of the WILL that CAN."

Again we deeply appreciate the interest of all patrons as a means of encouraging student effort for our 1952-1953 Annual.

Wm. M. McGrath.

Dedication

To:

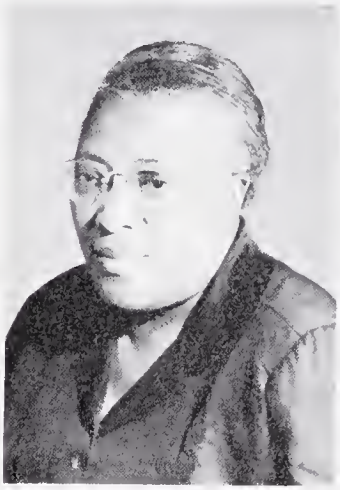
Senior Advisor-Miss J. Simona Lee

Education does not mean teaching people what they do not know. It means teaching them to behave as they do not behave. It is not teaching the youth the shapes of letters and tricks of numbers, and leaving them to turn their arithmetic to roguery,and their literature to lust. It means, on the contrary, training them into the perfect exercise and kingly continence of their bodies and souls. It is painful,continual and difficult work to be done by kindness,by warning, by precept, and by praise, but above all-by example.

____John Ruskin

Administration

Our Supervisors



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Grades One through Five

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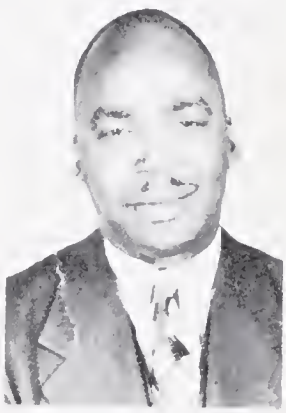
Grade 6

Mr. W. M. McElrath
Principal



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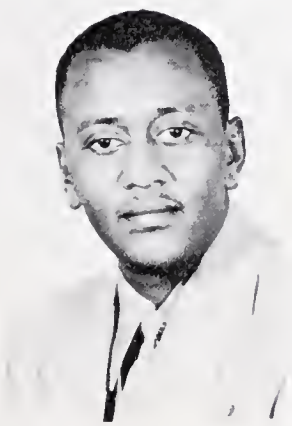

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Grade 8

Mr. L. M. Burton
Agriculture

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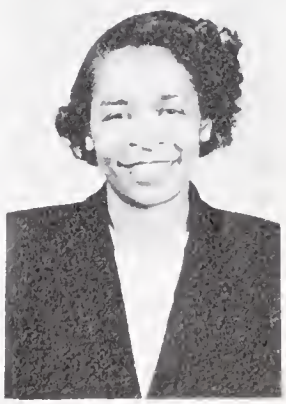

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Mrs. C. H. Drake
Grade 2

Mrs. M. H. Dunn
Grade 1

Mr. W. C. Evans
Agriculture

Mrs. M. Y. Evans
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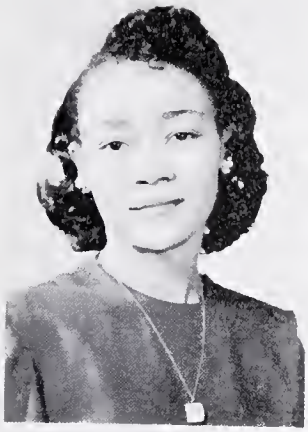
Mrs. W. C. High
English-Dramatics-Phys. Ed.

Mrs. W. A. Jones
Grade 3

Miss J. Simona Lee
English-History-French



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Home Economics

Mrs. M. D. McElrath
Grade 3

Mr. H. T. Pettiford
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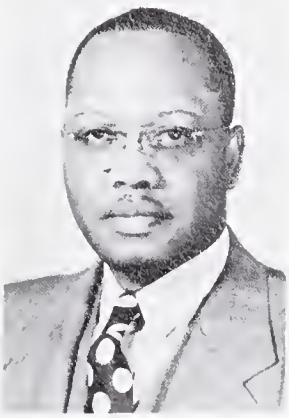
Grade 4

Mrs. G. S. Smart
Grade 2



Mr. J. E. Speed
Grade 7

Mrs. S. R. Speed
Mathematics-Science

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Grade 1

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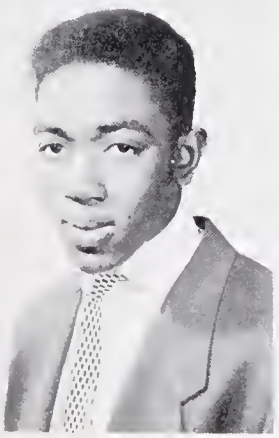
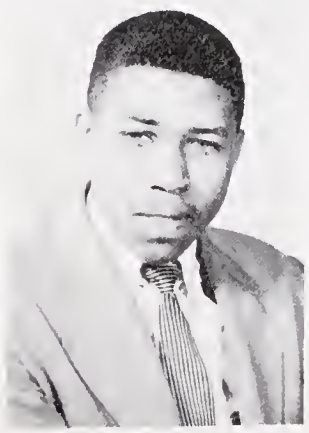
Librarian-Eighth Grade

Seniors

Class Officers





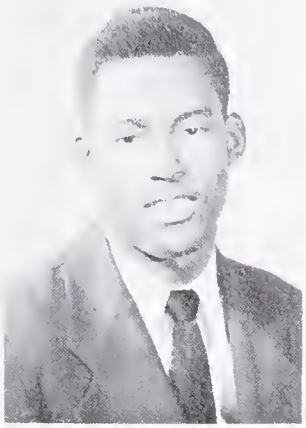
President . . . Chester Arnold
Vice President . . Jarvis Betts
Secretary . . . .Evelyn Coefield
Assistant-Sec. . Nellie M. Leach
Treasurer . . . . . John Payne

Motto: "Be good,do good,make good"

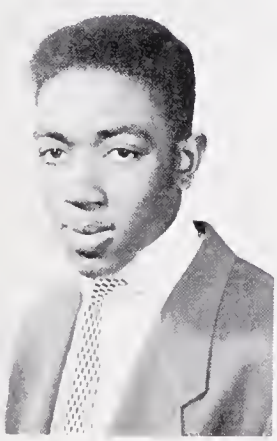
Class Flower: . . . . . Sweet Pea

Class colors . . Yellow and Blue

Chester L. Arnold
"Crook"
"Aiming high to Hit the Mark"



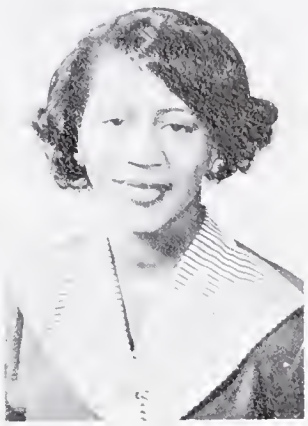
Milton L. Bailey
"Milt"
"I Live for Those Who Love Me."



William Jarvis Betts
"Mr. B."
"It's Nice to be Me."

Kathryne Burrell
"Cat"
"A Gal With Ideas and Ideals"

Lois Elizabeth Burt
"Rusty"
"At the Last Minute"



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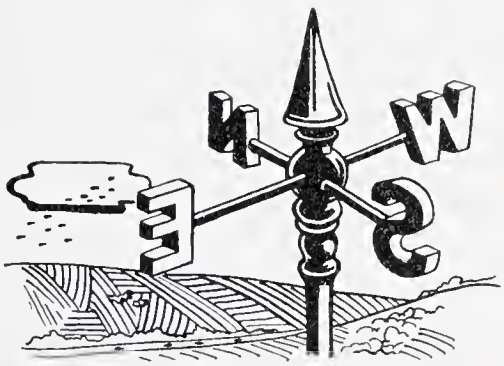
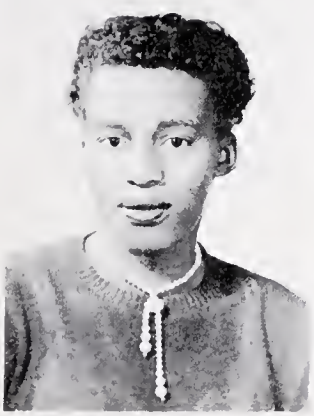
"Lulu"
"Miss Airborne in Person"





Annie Mae Curtis
"Dick"
"A good man is Hard to Find"

Joyce Marie Jones
"Teeny"
"Little but Precious"

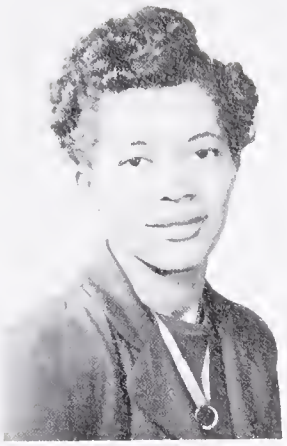
Laylon Jones
"Lay"
"Slow but Sure"

Verdena Johnson
"Taking Life as it Comes"

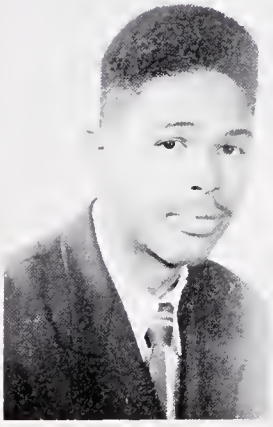
Nellie Mae Leach
"Nimae"
"All I am and hope to be I owe it to my Mother"

Bernice McNeill
"Bonnie"
"Great hopes make Great Women"

John Alton Payne
"Teeth"
"Tough, but Oh So Gentle"



Dorothy Jean Steele
"Dot"
"Naturalness is the Word"

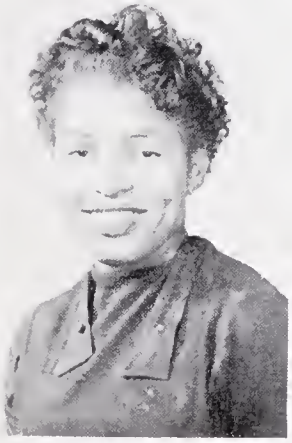


Cecil Thomas
"Bessie"
"You don't See Nothing Like that Everyday"

Nettie Pearl Taylor
"Mickey"
"Let Tomorrow take Care of its Self"

Margie Jean McNeill
"Duck"
"Learn by Doing"

Ruby Williams
"Dickie"
"Love those Troopers"



Doris Elain Williams
"Dimpler"
"Plain but Irresistible"

Jessie Mae Womble
"Baby Gal"
"Just Myself

Juniors

Junior Class Officers

Sophomores

"A"

Sophomores

"B"

Freshmen

Grades

Eighth Grade "A"

Eighth Grade "B"

Seventh Grade "A"

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Sixth Grade "A"

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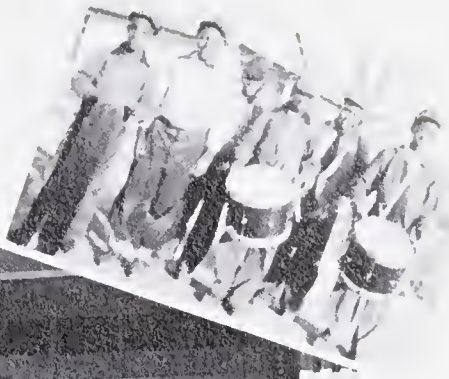
Fifth Grade "A"

Fifth Grade "B"

Fifth Grade "C"

Music



Band

Glee Club

Music

Dramatics

Basketball Team

The basketball team, playing a semi-schedule in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association for the first time in the history of the school participated in the annual Conference Tournament held in Raleigh's Washington High School Gymnasium on March 12, 13, and 14, 1953.

The team in its first season of play under the direction of coach, H. T. Pettiford, selected as its nick name "Bisons" after the now extinct Water Buffalo.

A Junior Varsity squad was also organized by coach Pettiford for preliminary games to the Varsity contests. The completion of the new gymtorium will enable the teams to play twenty-six games during the 1953-'54 season.

Standing back row left to right:

Joseph Griffin, Junior-Manager
Jarvis Betts, Senior-Center
Otto Moore, Junior-Guard
John Payne, Senior-Forward

H. T. Pettiford
Coach

Co-Captain-Fernie Royal
Junior-Forward

Chester Crudup
Freshman-Forward

Arnell Ray
Junior-Guard

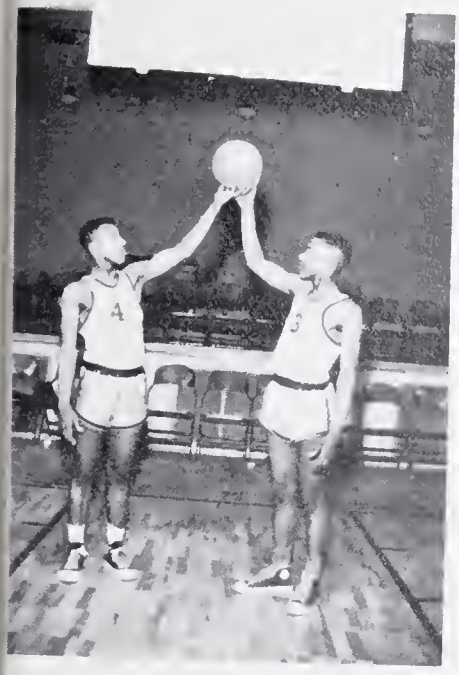
Milton Bailey
Senior-Guard

Edward Blalock
Junior-Guard

Otha Johnson
Freshman-Forward

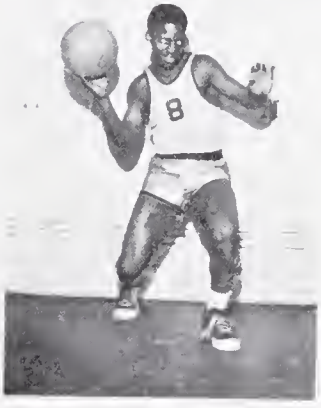
Jimmy Bailey
Sophomore-Forward

Co-Captain
Earnest Royal
Junior-Forward



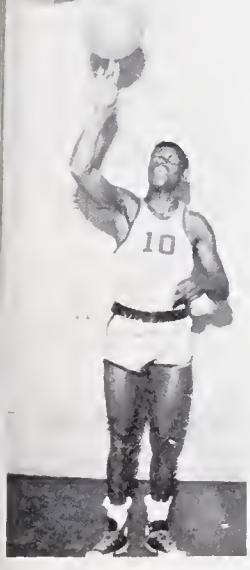
The Co-Captains

Checking Assignments



"Iron Man Bailey"

The "Swan Song" Trio

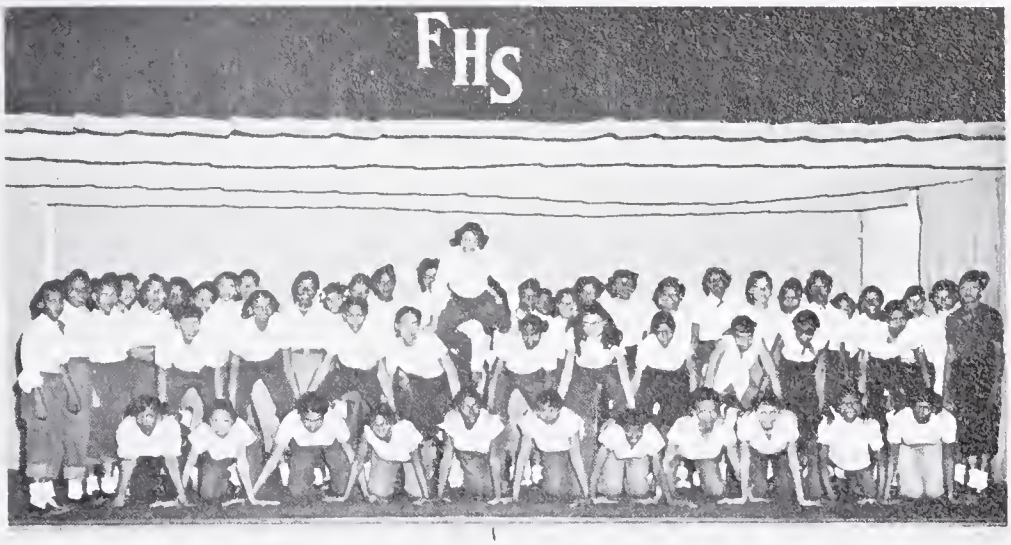


The"Goose Tatum"

"Doctor Dribbler"

The "Bison Four"

Physical Education



Annual Staff

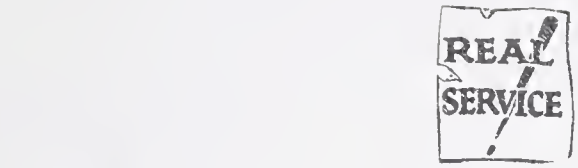
Miss Fuquay

1953

Junior-Senior Prom

Banquet

Dance



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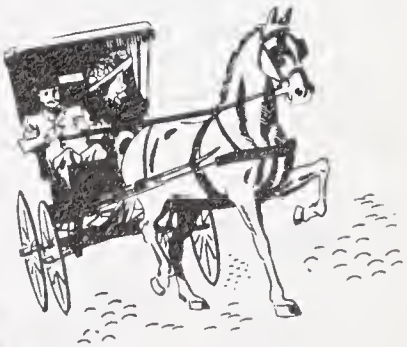

Activities

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1951
IN SERVICE

Patrons

Best Wishes to Seniors

Miss Catherine Atwater
Mrs. H. M. Bailey
Cpl. William Bailey
Mrs. Chloe Chupp
Mrs. Juanita Fuller
Miss Aslee Jackson
Mrs. Lizzie Jones
Mr. Andrew McKinnie, Jr.
Miss Elizabeth Lawson

Mrs. Julia Mae Mims
Mrs. Sarah Mims
Mrs. Glenora Spence
Mrs. Callie Steele
Mr. Cleon Unphrey

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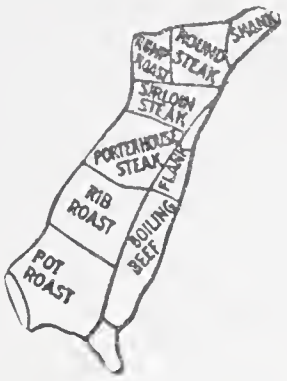

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